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For: METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING

AN IMPROVED QUANTIZER IN A MULTIMEDIA COMPRESSION

AND ENCODING SYSTEM

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## APPENDIX FOR EXAMINER INTERVIEW

## **ON DECEMBER 3, 2008 AT 10:30AM EST**

A. Claims 1 and 16 – Chiang does not disclose or suggest a method that determines a buffer occupancy accumulator for a particular frame.

B. Claims 1 and 16 – Chiang does not disclose or suggest a method that determines a buffer occupancy accumulator as a difference between an actual amount of bits used and a requested amount of bits for a previous frame having the same frame type as the particular frame.

C. Claims 5 and 20 – Neither Chiang nor Saunders discloses or suggests a method that determines a quantizer adjustment based on a scaling function.

D. Claims 14 and 29 – Chiang does not disclose or suggest a method that computes a number of bits that should have been used to encode all previously encoded macroblocks of a particular frame by using a first formula when the particular frame is a first frame type and a second formula when the particular frame is a second frame type.

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